1 2 3 4 5 6 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 DISTRICT OF NEVADA 9 10 BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., Case No. 2:16-cv-00659-JCM-NJK 11 Plaintiff(s), ORDER 12 VS. (Docket No. 41) REDROCK PARK HOMEOWNER'S 13 ASSOCIATION, et al., 14 Defendant(s). 15 The Court currently has scheduled for August 18, 2016, a hearing at which Edward Sun was 16 17 ordered to appear to explain why he should not be sanctioned and to discuss his citizenship. See Docket Nos. 30, 34. Now pending before the Court is a motion for Mr. Sun to appear telephonically, urging that 18 19 his personal appearance should be excused because he is a part-time resident in California and a parttime resident in China such that appearing here would require him to inquire significant expense. 20 21 Docket No. 41. Notably, Mr. Sun indicates that he is a part-time resident in China but is silent on his 22 current location, leaving the Court to assume he is currently in California. 23 // // 24 25 // 26

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¹ The Court is cognizant that it previously granted Mr. Terry's request to appear telephonically at that hearing because he lives in Florida. *See* Docket No. 40. Unlike Mr. Terry, Mr. Sun is required to appear both regarding sanctions and to establish his state citizenship.

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The Court finds insufficient cause has been established to excuse Mr. Sun's personal appearance, and the motion to appear telephonically is therefore **DENIED**. IT IS SO ORDERED. **DATED:** August 12, 2016 NANCY J. KOPRE United States Magistrate Judge